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RATINGS CONTROL SYSTEM WITH TEMPORARY

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

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Hon. Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 24, 2002 (no paper No.) for which a response is due on January 24, 2003, please consider the amendments and remarks included below. As indicated in a Certificate of Mailing included on the signature page of this document pursuant to 37 CFR 1.8, this Amendment is being mailed on January 22, 2003 and, therefore, is believed to be timely filed.

## **IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please amend the Specification as follows:

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